

# GREENBELT News Review

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## A Large Turnout Explores New Uses for Middle School

by James Giese

After disappointing turnouts at its first two public hearings in Greenbelt East and Greenbelt Center, the Greenbelt Middle School (GMS) Task Force sent out over 1,000 flyers announcing its third hearing, in Greenbelt West on May 19 at Springhill Lake Elementary School. The three task force leaders, Chair David Lange, Vice Chair Beatrice Rogers and David Whaples, must have been impressed by the near-capacity turnout of over 100 in the school multipurpose room.

However, a show of hands later in the evening revealed that by far most parents and children present – nearly all non-Greenbelt residents – had been brought out by Paul Shackelford, chair of Turning Point Academy (TPA) charter school now located on Good Luck Road in Greenbelt. Turning Point is interested in getting use of the old Greenbelt Middle School facility.

This structure is soon to be abandoned as a new middle school is constructed elsewhere on the site. Turning Point would use the building for an expanded

academy eventually serving kindergarten through high school.

Nevertheless, the 20 to 25 Greenbelt West and other Greenbelt residents who attended far exceeded the turnouts in the prior hearings.

Many audience questions dealt with how TPA could obtain use of GMS. The answer was that TPA could lease the school from the Board of Education (BOE).

If, on the other hand, part of the structure were to be used for city purposes, the BOE could declare the building surplus. In this case it would be turned over to the county and the county, in turn, could sell it to the city for a nominal amount.

In this latter case, TPA could lease part of the building for its use and share with the city other parts of the building, such as its gym, and still other parts could be dedicated for city uses. Shackelford has expressed interest in using the entire facility but he notes that TPA lacks funds to undertake major renovations.

See GMS, page 9

## Artful Afternoon Melange – Art, Peace, Justice, History

June's Artful Afternoon program, which will be held from 1 to 4 p.m. on Sunday, June 5 at the Community Center, will feature an array of activities for Greenbelt's art programs, Greenbelt Day Weekend and Peace Month observances. Programs are free, open to all and kid-friendly.

Tours of the special Peace Month exhibit "Quilt: Art to Mend the World," a display of paper quilt books by Kate Ranshoff in partnership with Karen Rowe, will be available from 1 to 4 p.m. in Room 114. The exhibit is on display at the Community Center for the weekend only, from Friday through Sunday, June 3 to 5. More information is available at [www.krquilt.com](http://www.krquilt.com).

From 1 to 3 p.m. participants can make their own paper quilt page in Room 113, led by Peace & Justice Coalition volunteers trained by Rowe.

Both the Quilt exhibit and paper quilt making workshop are sponsored by the Prince George's County Peace and Justice Coalition.

In the Community Center Art Gallery there will be an exhibit reception for "Syzegy: Paintings by Steven Pearson" and an opportunity to meet the artist from 1:30 to 3 p.m. Pearson uses lay-



ered symbols and a superhero/supervillain palette as he examines how people line up diverse information to make meaning of the world around them. Learn more about the artist at [www.srppearson.com](http://www.srppearson.com). Pearson's work will remain on display through July 8.

At 3 p.m., the Greenbelt Concert Band will perform rousing selections to celebrate Greenbelt Day Weekend, which this year recognizes the 74th anniversary of the city.

### Drawing

Immediately preceding the performance, a drawing will be held for two tickets to a performance of the winner's choice at the Greenbelt Arts Center. Enter this free drawing at the Greenbelt Community Center Art Gallery now through 2:30 p.m. on June 5.

### Museum

From 1 to 5 p.m. there will be a "Hands-on History Day"

See ARTFUL, page 6

## Memorial Day Ceremony Pays Tribute to Those Who Served

by Carol Griffith



PHOTO BY HELEN SYDAVAR

At least 100 residents join in the Memorial Day celebration on a blistering hot day, many carried their chairs to shady spots.

must be eternally grateful to all who have served and especially to those who have given their lives in the service of our country and made the ultimate sacrifice. Linkenhoker accepted the proclamation on behalf of American Legion Post #136 and Genney Bonnie for the Post 136

Auxiliary.

After very brief remarks by Anne Healey, Councilmember Emmett Jordan read a county proclamation on behalf of County Councilmember Ingrid Turner, who could not attend.

See CEREMONY, page 6

## New GHI Board Organizes, Elects T. Boswell President

by Sue Kofchik

### Election of Officers

Tokey Boswell was unanimously elected president. Nominees for vice president were Bill Jones, Laura Moore and Patricia Novinski, with Moore elected by secret ballot. Bill Jones and Chuck Hess were nominated for treasurer. Following two 4-4 ties using secret ballots (with one board member absent) and considerable discussion about applicable bylaws and options, Jones withdrew his nomination. Hess was therefore elected treasurer. Ed James was unopposed for the office of secretary.

The director's code of ethics was reviewed and signed by each director. This document describes how, as trusted agents and decision makers, each director should be guided and inspired. Six articles describe responsibilities to the cooperative, honesty and good faith, scope of authority, conflict of interest, confidentiality and the obligation of non-interference (the duty to participate in operations of the cooperative only as authorized by the bylaws).

### Board Procedures

Board meeting procedures were then reviewed. New Vice President Moore recommended that "for transparency" the

See GHI, page 9

### What Goes On

**Friday, June 3 through Sunday, June 5** – Greenbelt Day Weekend. (See program on page 5)

**Monday, June 6**

**8 p.m.**, Council Meeting and Budget Adoption. Live on Verizon 21, Comcast 71 and streaming at [www.greenbeltdmd.gov](http://www.greenbeltdmd.gov)

**Tuesday, June 7**

**7 p.m.**, Greenbelt Arts Advisory Board Meeting, Community Center

**Thursday, June 9**

**7:30 p.m.**, Greenbelt Homes, Inc. Board Meeting, GHI Administration Building

Beginning two-year terms on the board are Bill Jones (144 votes) and Chuck Hess (130). Re-elected are incumbents Tokey Boswell (148), Patricia Novinski (139) and Laura Moore (132), all also for two-year terms. Current directors with one year left to serve are Ed James, Diana McFadden, David Morse and Irv Wartel. Re-elected to the audit committee are Dianne Wilkerson (155 votes) and Debbie Cooley (148), joined by newly elected Bill Edwards (149).

## Letters to the Editor

### Clarification

Thank you for your coverage of the last budget hearing and council meeting on Monday, May 23, 2011. I have one correction. The motion for the tennis courts was made at the meeting and which passed included the lighting of all eight courts, resurfacing of the tennis courts and contingency funding for approximately \$312,000. Please see the web cast at 1 hour and 36 minutes.

Molly Lester

**Editor's Note:** The matter before council for award of purchase was only a contract for tennis court lighting with its contingency. Because there was some confusion over what was included in the motion, the approval of lighting for the 8 tennis courts will appear on the consent agenda of the next council meeting.

### Taking Deer Hunting Discovery Seriously

I read last week's article in the News Review about the discovery of a "tree-mounted hunting stand and remains of several deer" in the woods near the Greenbelt Community Gardens. The article credits this discovery to Cam MacQueen, a member of the GHI Companion Animal Committee.

Ms. MacQueen did the right thing by bringing the discovery to the attention of both the Greenbelt Public Works Department and the Maryland Department of Natural Resources Police. The discovery suggests that there has been hunting in the woods around Greenbelt.

In my opinion hunting is a cruel activity but this isn't about the rightness or wrongness of hunting. It's about criminal activity in Greenbelt. The Director of Planning and Development, Celia Craze, makes it clear in the article that hunting animals of any kind in Greenbelt is illegal.

I think it is important that this discovery be taken seriously by the city. As promised in the article, a Public Works crew did remove the hunting stand. However, I encourage Celia Craze to make available resources to inspect the woods for more hunt-

ing stands and, if any are found, have them quickly torn down as well. Also the use of "No Hunting" signs should be explored so that those who participate in this criminal activity can be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

It is tragic that these beautiful creatures were more than likely killed as a result of criminal activity in Greenbelt.

Brian Almquist

### New Deal Programs Status Clarifications

In the May 26 issue of the Greenbelt News Review (page 11) there were several inaccurate statements made by a member of the audience at the City Council budget hearing on May 21 regarding the New Deal Café and the Friends of New Deal Café Arts (FONDCA). This letter is an attempt to correct those misunderstandings.

The Friends of New Deal Café Arts is a nonprofit organization dedicated to supporting arts programs at Roosevelt Center and the New Deal Café, especially the free outdoor concert series in Roosevelt Center and the art exhibit program at the Café. All of the concerts and art exhibit programs are free and open to the public. These events are produced by Friends of the New Deal Café by volunteers who put in many hours every year to make them happen. In many communities this time spent in producing free art events would be done by paid employees or government staff.

Since FONDCA provides the funds for these arts programs, most of our efforts go into fund-raising, including grant-writing. The City of Greenbelt has awarded us grants every year since we received our IRS nonprofit status in 2003. 100 percent of our arts funding from the city goes to support the free outdoor concert series. Each year we submit a proposal and budget to the city for the new fiscal year and we have to defend our proposal to the Arts Advisory Board and the City Council. In the past, FONDCA's proposals have not always been fully funded and we

do not receive any special consideration from the City Council.

Our proposals must meet the goals and objectives of the city. In addition to the city's grants, we also have won competitive grants from the Prince George's Arts Council, Prince George's County, the Greenbelt Community Foundation and the Jim Cassels Service Award from the Greenbelt Co-op Supermarket. The largest single source of our funds is individuals who generously respond to our annual donation drive and thereby demonstrate strong support from the community for the programs we sponsor.

The New Deal Café and the Friends of New Deal Café Arts are two distinct organizations. FONDCA's funds are kept completely separate from those of the New Deal Café, as per IRS guidelines. Donations to FONDCA are tax-deductible, whereas donations to the Café are not. We have separate governing boards with different people. To coordinate activities, the FONDCA board has one non-voting representative from the Café board. This member serves as a liaison to the Café board and this bylaw provision helps coordinate event planning with the Café.

The past few years have been difficult ones for most arts nonprofits in our nation. FONDCA is proud of the fact that we have been successful in funding the arts at our past levels and have expanded to include support for new programs such as the Eileen Peterson Youth Music Series. We feel confident that with continued support, we will be able to continue to support free, high-quality arts programming to Roosevelt Center and the New Deal Café.

Barbara Simon  
President  
Friends of New Deal  
Café Arts

### FREE OUTDOOR CONCERT! Summer Jazz on the Green Not 2 Cool Jazz Trio



Sat. June 4, 4-7 pm

Roosevelt Center, Greenbelt

Sponsored by the Friends of New Deal Cafe Arts (FONDCA),  
with support from the City of Greenbelt

### Grin Belt



"Quick . . . more ice cubes please!"

### ASG Star Party at the City Observatory

Everyone is invited to join the Astronomical Society of Greenbelt (ASG) for a star party Saturday evening, June 4 at the City of Greenbelt Observatory at Northway Fields. In addition to the telescope in the observatory, several members will have set up their personal telescopes and binoculars for the enjoyment of all. Observing will begin as soon as it is dark enough, probably around 8:45 p.m.

The three-day-old moon offers a chance to watch the lunar sunrise in craters. In addition to

the moon, objects to be observed include the planet Saturn as well as several nice star clusters and nebulae. ASG members will be available to answer questions and provide advice about getting started in this hobby.

The star party will be cancelled without notice if it is hopelessly cloudy. Attendees are asked to park in the ball field lot at the bottom of the hill unless bringing a telescope. Warm weather has brought swarms of mosquitoes so bug repellent is strongly encouraged.

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Greenbelt Community Center at 15 Crescent Rd.  
OFFICE HOURS: Monday 2 - 4 p.m., Tuesday 2 - 4, 8 - 10 p.m.

# Community Events

## Mamas and Papas Playdate Saturday

On Saturday, June 4 from 9:30 a.m. to noon there will be a free summer playdate for children sponsored by the Recreation Department and the Greenbelt Mamas and Papas.

Younger kids will meet at the sand volleyball court, older ones at Braden Field courts in Old Greenbelt.

Families of all ages are invited to play together in this celebration of summer – bring sandbox toys, outdoor toys such as balls, bubbles, etc., sunscreen and a picnic lunch if desired.

There will be additional playdates on July 2, August 6 and September 3. The Mamas and Papas is on Facebook.

## Menu for Senior Nutrition Program

The Senior Nutrition "Food and Friendship" program provides lunches for seniors Monday through Friday at the Community Center beginning at noon. Meals must be reserved by 11 a.m. two days ahead. Call 301-397-2208, ext. 4215.

All meals include bread and margarine, coffee or tea and skim milk. Menus for June 6 to 10:

Monday – Minestrone soup, tuna salad, macaroni salad, carrot raisin salad, fresh nectarine.

Tuesday – Apple juice, turkey bean chili, rice, spinach salad, tropical mixed fruit.

Wednesday – All sites closed (sanitation training).

Thursday – Fruit juice blend, chicken patty on a multi-grain bun with barbecue sauce, seasoned cabbage, field green salad, fresh banana.

Friday – Grape juice, beef fajita, chopped spinach, refried beans, garden salad, diced pears.

## GHI Notes

Monday, June 6, 7 p.m., Addition Maintenance Task Force – Board Room

Wednesday, June 8, 7:30 p.m., Architectural Review Committee – Board Room

Thursday, June 9, 7:30 p.m., Special Board of Directors Meeting – Board Room

Friday, June 10, Offices Closed. Maintenance Only emergency maintenance service is available (call 301-474-6011).

Sunday, June 12, 11 a.m., Pre-purchase Orientation – Board Room

Note: Regularly scheduled board meetings for the summer will be on June 23, July 14 and August 18. Committee and board meetings are open; members are encouraged to attend.

More Community Events on pages 2, 4, 6, 11 and 12

## Donate Extra Bikes Here on Sunday

The Baha'i Community of Greenbelt will collect used bikes on behalf of Bikes for the World on Sunday, June 5 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the parking lot behind the Greenbelt Arts Center. Bikes for the World works with overseas charity partners who recondition the bicycles and distribute them to people who need them to get to work, school and health services. A \$10 per bike contribution is suggested with each bike donation to defray a share of the cost of overseas shipping. (See ad on page 12.)

For details contact Roya Bau-man at 301-474-3720 or roya19@verizon.net or visit bikesfortheworld.org.

## Annual Teddy Bear Picnic at Library

The Greenbelt library annual teddy bear picnic will be held on Wednesday, June 8 at 10:30 a.m. in the library meeting room. Always a popular event, it is for children ages 1 to 6 and their caregivers.

Children may bring their favorite teddy bear or other stuffed animal. There will be musical activities, a parade, picnic and more. Library staff will read special books and do funny acts-outs with props.

For more information call the library at 301-345-5800.

## REI, Greenbelt Park Sponsor Trails Day

Greenbelt Park and REI are partnering to hold a National Trails Day on the morning of Saturday, June 4. Registration starts at 8:45 a.m. and projects begin at 9 a.m. National Trails Day is the trail awareness program of the American Hiking Society.

Volunteers can participate in an REI trail maintenance project or remove invasive plants in the park. Trail work involves hard physical labor, while invasive plant removal is a family-friendly activity. A Junior Ranger activity will begin at the conclusion of the volunteer projects at noon.

All participants must pre-register online at [www.rei.com/stores/27](http://www.rei.com/stores/27). For details call Greenbelt Park at 301-344-3944 or visit <http://www.nps.gov/gree/support-your-park/nationaltrailsday.htm>.

## Holy Cross Thrift Store

Every Thursday 10am – 4pm

Good, clean clothes for women, men and children! Shoes, jewelry, books, etc.

6905 Greenbelt Road  
Greenbelt, Md. 301-345-5111

## Junior Park Ranger Applications Open

Greenbelt Park is currently accepting applications for its free 2011 summer Junior Ranger program, which is open to children 8 to 12 years old. The park is a 1,100-acre forest with 10 miles of trails, picnic areas and a 178-site campground.

Two week-long camp sessions are held Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., June 20 through 24 and June 27 through July 1. Junior Rangers participate in nature hikes and learn about animals, plants and water.

Pre-registration is required, with the park reviewing all applications to select Junior Rangers, who will be notified if they are accepted. Applications are available at the Greenbelt Park Headquarters Ranger Station, 6565 Greenbelt Road and online at [www.nps.gov/gree](http://www.nps.gov/gree). The deadline for applying for the first session is June 13, the second June 20.

## TRU-G Holds Meeting At Community Church

Transit Riders United of Greenbelt (TRU-G) will hold its regular monthly meeting on Saturday, June 4 from 10:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. in Room B of the Fellowship Center at the Greenbelt Community Church. The church is located at the corner of Crescent Road and Hillside Road.

There will be a special discussion at this meeting on how the posted signs and schedules at bus stops could be improved to help bus riders. Bring comments and ideas on how to make this better.

Limited rides to the meeting are available by emailing [trugreenbelt@gmail.com](mailto:trugreenbelt@gmail.com). Subscribe to the TRU-G listserv by sending an email to [trugee-subscribe@yahoogroups.com](mailto:trugee-subscribe@yahoogroups.com).

## Free Gymborama For Tots Up to 5

On Fridays, June 3, 10 and 17 from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. the Greenbelt Recreation Department is holding a free gymborama of creative free play at the Youth Center gym for children up to age 5. Older siblings who are out of school are welcome to tag along.

## Rhythm and Rhyme Free Tots Program

On Tuesdays June 7 and 14 from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. the Greenbelt Recreation Department is sponsoring a free "Rhythm and Rhyme Time" program at the Youth Center Multipurpose Room. The program includes stories and activities for children from birth to age 4 with a caregiver.

## Golden Age Club

by Bunny Fitzgerald

The Golden Age Club has been enjoying our senior trips this past month. One was a ride on the C&O Canal on a barge pulled by mules while looking at the raging Potomac River. We had lots of fun on the mystery trip with Karen Haseley giving us clues and hints.

The speaker on June 8 will be Rev. Dan Hamlin, with a report on his trip to Kenya. He will show some amazing pictures from safari – don't miss this presentation.

There will be a Meet and Greet with County Councilmember Ingrid Turner on Friday, June 10 at the Community Center. Lunch will be served; you need to register for this.

The Club was saddened by the death of Mary Gardner. She was a longtime member, past president and friend to all. We will miss her jokes and stories. Our condolences to her family and friends.

It seems summer has arrived with a blast. Try to keep cool and drink lots of water.

## Computer Club To Meet June 9

The Greenbelt Computer Club will hold its June meeting on Thursday June 9 at 7 p.m. in Room 103 of the Greenbelt Community Center.

Everyone is welcome.

## GREENSPRING II Community Yard Sale

**Saturday, June 4th  
8:00 am – 12:00 pm**  
**Springcrest Drive cul-de-sac off Hanover Parkway, Greenbelt, MD**

## VANDERGRIFT!

By Anthony E. Gallo,  
Directed by Helenmary Ball

June 3 - 12

Fridays and Saturdays at 8:00 pm

Sundays at 2:30 pm

\$15 General/\$12 Students/Seniors

For information & reservations, call **301-441-8770**

email: [info@greenbelartscenter.org](mailto:info@greenbelartscenter.org)

or BOOK TICKETS ONLINE at [www.greenbelartscenter.org](http://www.greenbelartscenter.org)

Coming Soon:  
**Young Turg – June 17 through July 3**

## Not 2 Cool Jazz Trio

On Saturday, June 4 from 4 to 7 p.m., the Not 2 Cool Jazz Trio will perform a free concert in Roosevelt Center. The trio plays a mixture of standards and modern jazz in an intimate and lyrical sound that follows the West Coast style jazz, with Michael Grasso on trumpet, Jack Litzinger on guitar and Herb Nachman on bass.

Produced by the New Deal Café, this concert is sponsored by the Friends of New Deal Café Arts with support from the City of Greenbelt.

## Academy Stadium Theatres

Beltway Plaza Mall  
Center Court  
301-220-1155

**ALL SHOWS BEFORE 5 p.m.**  
Adults/Seniors: \$6.50  
Children: \$6.00

**ALL SHOWS BEFORE NOON ON SATURDAY \$5.00**

**ALL SHOWS AFTER 5 p.m.**  
Adults: \$8.50  
Students/Military: \$7.50  
Children: \$6.00  
Seniors: \$6.50

R = ID Required

(!) = No pass, (!!) No pass weekend

## Week of JUNE 3

**FRI – SAT.**  
Thor, PG-13  
11:50, 2:15, 4:40

Fast Five, PG-13  
7:30, 10:20

Hangover 2, R (!!)

11:40, 2:20, 4:45, 7:45, 10:20

Kung Fu Panda: The Kaboom of Doom, 3D, PG (!!)

No fees at our location

11:20, 12:10, 1:30, 2:30, 3:40,

4:45, 6, 7, 8:15, 9:30, 10:30

X-Men: First Class, PG-13 (!)

11:50, 12:45, 3, 4, 6:45, 7:15, 9:45,

10:15

Pirates of the Caribbean: On Stranger Tides, PG-13

12:10, 3, 6:45, 9:45

Jumping the Broom, PG-13

12:20, 3, 5:40, 8:05, 10:30

**SUN.**

Thor, PG-13  
11:50, 2:15, 4:40

Fast Five, PG-13  
7:30

Hangover 2, R (!!)

11:40, 2:20, 4:45, 7:45

Kung Fu Panda: The Kaboom of Doom, 3D, PG (!!)

No fees at our location

11:20, 12:10, 1:30, 2:30, 3:40,

4:45, 6, 7, 8:15

X-Men: First Class, PG-13 (!)

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Pirates of the Caribbean: On Stranger Tides, PG-13

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Jumping the Broom, PG-13

12:20, 3, 5:40, 8:05

**MON. – THU.**

Thor, PG-13  
12:10, 2:40

Fast Five, PG-13  
5:05, 7:45

Hangover 2, R  
12:10, 2:50, 5:20, 8

Kung Fu Panda: The Kaboom of Doom, 3D, PG

No fees at our location

12:15, 12:45, 2:30, 3:15, 5:15,

5:45, 7:35, 8

X-Men: First Class, PG-13 (!)

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## THE GREENBELT ARTS CENTER AND THE SEVENTH STREET PLAYHOUSE PRESENT

**VANDERGRIFT!**

By Anthony E. Gallo,

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# Our Neighbors

Greenbelters were saddened to hear of the death of JoAnne (Hardy) Kincius, 51, in Pennsylvania on May 24, 2011, and offer condolences to her family and friends.

#### Congratulations to:

– Navy Seaman Recruit Edith M. Diadhiou, a 2007 ERHS graduate, who recently completed U.S. Navy basic training at Recruit Training Command, Great Lakes, Ill.

– Miguel Pereira, son of Nancy Boardman and the late Manuel Pereira of Boxwood Village, who, after receiving his Ph.D. in bio-chemistry from the University of Michigan, accepted an appointment as assistant professor at New York University in its Chemistry Department. He has just completed his first academic year of teaching at NYU. Miguel and his wife Jen are greatly enjoying living in the New York City area and have the special attraction there of having his brother Jaime living nearby in Hoboken, N.J.

– Kathleen Quinn McLaughlin, who received a bachelor of arts degree in religion from Colorado College in Colorado Springs. She also was named to the national collegiate women's rugby team and will play in an all-star tournament in Pittsburgh June 10 and 11. She is the daughter of Janis McFarland and Richard McLaughlin of Chapel Hill, N.C., and the granddaughter and namesake of News Review staffer Kathleen McFarland.

– Anthony Oats of Greenbelt Middle School, who received a CampFire USA Presidential Service Award and Maya Lee of Greenbelt Elementary School, who received a participation and service award for her work on the Springhill Lake Garden.



PHOTO BY KAREN LEE

#### Marriott:

– Rebecca Bailey of Lanham received the "For God and Youth Award" for her innovative leadership of the parish youth group the past four years, culminating each year in a retreat to the Franciscan University of Steubenville, Ohio.

– Peter Lomax, a 2011 graduate of St. Mary's High School in Annapolis and an Eagle Scout, received the St. Timothy award, presented to youth in recognition of outstanding contributions to their parish. An active leader in the St. Hugh's youth group, he also served as sacristan for four years and an altar server for 10 years. He is the son of Joseph and Suzanne Lomax of Greenbelt East.

Send us your reports of new babies, awards, honors, etc. to share with our readers. We'd especially like to hear more from our neighbors in Greenbelt East and Greenbelt West (Franklin Park). To send information for "Our Neighbors" email us at [newsreview@greenbelt.com](mailto:newsreview@greenbelt.com) or leave a message at 301-474-6892.

– Kathleen McFarland



Meeting at Greenbelt Community Center, 2nd Floor

Please come this Sunday  
WORSHIP AT 11:00

Pastor Nigel C. Black, MDiv. (410) 627-8381

## Paint Branch Unitarian Universalist Church

3215 Powder Mill Road, Adelphi  
Phone: 301-937-3666 [www.pbuuc.org](http://www.pbuuc.org)



Welcome you to our open, nurturing community

June 5, 10 a.m.

iCant! (sing!) Annual Choir Service by the Paint Branch Choir, led by David Chapman, music director, with Rev. Diane Teichert and Abby Crowley, worship associate.



## Mowatt Memorial United Methodist Church

40 Ridge Road, Greenbelt



Open hearts, Open minds, Open doors  
[www.greenbeltmumc.org](http://www.greenbeltmumc.org) 301-474-9410

Rev. Fay Lundin, Pastor

Worship Service 10:00am



## ST. HUGH OF GRENOBLE CATHOLIC CHURCH

135 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770

301-474-4322



Mass Schedule:

Sunday 8:00, 9:30, 11:00 a.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m., 5:00 p.m.

Daily Mass: 7:15 a.m.

Sacrament of Penance: Saturday 3:45-4:45 p.m.

Pastor: Rev. Walter J. Tappe

Pastoral Associate: Rev. R. Scott Hurd

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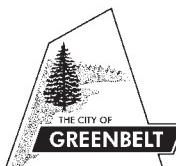
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# City Information

## GREENBELT CITY COUNCIL MEETING

June 6, 2011 - 8:00 p.m.

Municipal Building

### COMMUNICATIONS

#### Presentations

- National Board Certified Teachers
- Agnes Meyer Outstanding Teacher Award
- Maryland Municipal League "If I Were Mayor" District Finalists

**Petitions and Requests** (Petitions received at the meeting will not be acted upon by the City Council at this meeting unless Council waives its Standing Rules.)

#### Minutes of Council Meetings

#### Administrative Reports

##### \*Committee Reports

- Forest Preserve Advisory Board, Report #2011-2 (Membership in Baltimore-Washington Partnership for Forest Stewardship)

#### LEGISLATION

- Adoption of the Budget
- An Ordinance to Adopt the General Fund, Building Capital Reserve Fund, Cemetery Fund, Debt Service Fund, Replacement Fund, Special Projects Fund, Green Ridge House Fund, Capital Projects Fund, 2001 Bond Fund, and Community Development Block Grant Fund Budgets for the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, to Appropriate Funds and Establish Real Estate and Personal Property Tax Rates for the Fiscal Year 2012 Beginning July 1, 2011 and Including June 30, 2012

- 1st Reading, Suspension of the Rules
- 2nd Reading, Adoption

- An Ordinance to Amend Chapter 10 "Licenses, Permits and Miscellaneous Business Regulations" of the Greenbelt City Code by Adding a New Section VI Entitled

"Notice of Foreclosures" -1st Reading

- An Ordinance to Authorize and Empower the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, to Refinance Not More Than Three Million, Nine Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$3,950,000) for the Public Purpose of Refunding the Outstanding Principal Amount of the City's Public Improvement and Refunding Bonds of 2002 -1st Reading

- A Resolution to Negotiate the Purchase of Renovation Work to the Springhill Lake Recreation Center from Romero Construction Co., Inc. -1st Reading

#### OTHER BUSINESS

- Award of Bid – Greenhill Road Stream Stabilization Project, Contract 2010-3
- Selection of Audit Services for FY 2011
- Other Reports
- \*- Memorandum of Agreement for Baltimore Washington Partners for Forest Stewardship
- \*- Award of Bid – Tennis Court Lights
- \*- Reappointment to Advisory Group

#### MEETINGS

NOTE: This is a preliminary agenda, subject to change. Regular Council meetings are open to the public, and all interested citizens are invited to attend. If special accommodations are required for any disabled person, please call 301-474-8000 no later than 10am on the meeting day. Deaf individuals are advised to use MD RELAY at 711 or e-mail cmurray@greenbeltdmd.gov to reach the City Clerk.

## GREENBELT ANIMAL SHELTER

550-A Crescent Road (behind Police Station)

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The shelter is open on Wednesdays from 4-7pm, Saturdays from 9am-12pm or by appointment INFO: 301.474.6124. Donations welcome any time!

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Visit [www.greenbeltdmd.gov](http://www.greenbeltdmd.gov)  
for city information.

### VACANCIES ON

#### BOARDS &

#### COMMITTEES

Volunteer to serve on City Council Advisory Groups.

Vacancies exist on: Advisory Planning Board, Arts Advisory Board, Forest Preserve Advisory Board, Greenbelt Advisory Committee on Environmental Sustainability, and the Senior Citizens Advisory Committee

For information call 301-474-8000.

## MEETINGS FOR JUNE 6-10

Monday, June 6th at 8:00 pm, **REGULAR MEETING/BUDGET ADOPTION** at the Municipal Building, 25 Crescent Road. Live on Verizon 21, Comcast 71 and Streaming at [www.greenbeltdmd.gov](http://www.greenbeltdmd.gov)

Tuesday, June 7th at 7:00pm, **GREENBELT ARTS ADVISORY BOARD** at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road, Greenbelt, MD 20770

*This schedule is subject to change. For confirmation that a meeting is being held call 301-474-8000.*

## Summer Free Monthly Produce Distribution Program

The Greenbelt Assistance in Living Program is now taking names for the Summer Free Monthly Produce Distribution Program. Participants must be 60+ or disabled adults. Registration begins Monday, June 6, 2011 at 9:00 am. Space is limited to the first, 75 seniors or disabled adults that register. Distributions will be held at Green Ridge House – 22 Ridge Rd. Greenbelt, MD from 3-4 pm. Produce will be distributed monthly on 4th Thursday beginning June 23, 2011 – September 22, 2011. Participants must bring their own bags or carts, park on the street and enter the building on the right side entrance.

Please call Greenbelt CARES to register at 301-345-6660.

## Summer Camps at the Greenbelt Recreation Department

### Are you ready for the Summer?

The Greenbelt Recreation Department offers a variety of summer camps: Kinder Camp for ages 3-5, Creative Kids for ages 6-12, Camp Pine Tree I for ages 6-8, Camp Pine Tree II for ages 9-11, Youth on the Go for ages 12-14, Circus Camp for ages 8-16, and Camp Encore for ages 13 -15, as well as a variety of MINI-DANCE CAMPS!

Please call 301-397-2200 or visit our web site at [www.greenbeltdmd.gov/recreation](http://www.greenbeltdmd.gov/recreation) to explore the exciting opportunities that are awaiting your child.

**SPACE IS LIMITED, REGISTER TODAY! Call 301-397-2200**

## Greenbelt Day Weekend

### Celebrating our 74th Anniversary

#### Friday, June 3

- 6:00am-10:00pm Greenbelt Aquatic & Fitness Center Open
- 11:00am-8:00pm Outdoor Pool Open
- 9:00am-10:00pm Art and Quilt Exhibitions at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road

#### Saturday, June 4

- 8:00am-9:00pm Greenbelt Aquatic & Fitness Center Open
- 10:00am-8:00pm Outdoor Pool Open
- 9:00am-4:00pm FREE Child Safety Seat Inspections at Springhill Lake Elementary School.
- 9:00am-10:00pm Art Exhibitions at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road
- 9:00am-5:30pm Symposium "From New Towns to Old Towns: The Influence of Clarence Stein's Designs Today" at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road, Room 201.
- 9:30am Youth Sprint Triathlon for ages 8-15. On site registration begins at 8:30am at the Greenbelt Aquatic and Fitness Center Outdoor Pool, 101 Centerway, 1:00-3:00pm "The Power's Out – What Now?" In an emergency, what questions do you ask? A "Not for Seniors Only" Presentation. All are welcome. Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road, Room 202.
- 4:00-7:00pm Free Concert in Roosevelt Center featuring Not 2 Cool Jazz Trio. Produced by the New Deal Cafe and sponsored by the Friends of the New Deal Cafe Arts.

#### Sunday, June 5

- 1:00pm Naturalization Ceremony at the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road. The United States Citizen and Immigration Service will administer the Oath of Allegiance to U.S. citizenship candidates as part of a formal ceremony.

#### AN ARTFUL AFTERNOON

- 1:00-4:00pm Quilt: Art to Mend the World - exhibit tours and workshop. Tour the special exhibit of Kate Ransohoff's paper quilt books which contemplate issues of social justice and non-violence. Room 114 of the Greenbelt Community Center, 15 Crescent Road.
- 1:00-3:00pm in room 114, participate in a hands-on workshop to make your own paper quilt page.
- 1:30-3:00pm Art Show Reception for **Syzygy** exhibition by Steven Pearson. This is your opportunity to meet the painter.
- 3:00pm FREE concert featuring the Greenbelt Concert Band in the Greenbelt Community Center gym
- 1:00-4:00pm Artists' Studio Open House
- 1:00-5:00pm Greenbelt Museum Hands-on History Day, 10-B Crescent Road. Tour the historic home FREE today! Tour includes a short introductory film about Greenbelt History and special interactive exhibits. The Museum gift shop will be open.

**JUNE IS PEACE MONTH IN GREENBELT, PLEASE VISIT [WWW.GREENBELTMD.GOV](http://WWW.GREENBELTMD.GOV) FOR A LIST OF ACTIVITIES.**

## GREENBELT DAY WEEKEND BASEBALL GAMES

#### Friday June 3:

6pm Orioles vs. Tigers, Braden Field #2, 6pm Indians vs. Giants, McDonald Field, 8pm Parents vs Coaches, Braden Field # 2.

#### Sunday, June 5 at 1:00pm, McDonald Field:

**GREENBELT BASEBALL ALL-STAR GAME**

Come see the City's finest ball players compete in this Greenbelt tradition as Greenbelt Baseball Celebrates its 60th Anniversary.

## At the Library this Week

### Teen Advisory Board

An advisory board meeting for all teens 13 to 18 will be held in the Greenbelt Library on Tuesday, June 7 at 7 p.m. Teens who have not already signed up for this board may obtain a membership application at the library. All are welcome. There will be snacks, brainstorming, discussion and more.

### Teddy Bear Picnic

The annual Teddy Bear Picnic will be held on Wednesday, June 8 at 10:30 a.m. for ages 2 to 6 years old and families in the downstairs library meeting room. (See more details on page 3.)

### Storytime

On Thursday, June 9, 10:30 a.m., Drop-in Storytime will be held for ages 18 to 36 months; limit 15 children. Pick up a free ticket for Storytime at the Information Desk.

### Hall of Fame Exhibit

The Negro League Hall of Fame Exhibit features the Scurlock Photographic Studio images of the Negro Leagues. From the Colored Professional and Negro leagues were born some of the greatest baseball players to have played in the league. The Negro leagues drew crowds of fans that sold out many venues. The photographic exhibit will run at the Greenbelt library through June.

### Summer Reading Program

The 2011 Summer Reading program of the Prince George's County Memorial Library System continues through August 31. The program includes One World, Many Stories for Pre-K to 12-years-old, You Are Here for 11 to 18 years old and Escape

to Reading for adults. Programs involve free prizes for books read and activities and teens and adults have grand prize drawings. Register online at [www.pgcmls.info](http://www.pgcmls.info) or at the library or call for more information.

For more information call 301-345-5800 or visit the website at [www.pgcmls.info](http://www.pgcmls.info).

### Shop Healthy Class Held at Youth Center

On Tuesday, June 7 from 7 to 8:30 p.m., Co-op instructors will hold a free Shop Healthy Workshop at the Youth Center on "Simple Summer Snacks."

Summer is a busy time with lots of activity and travel. There is a need for healthy snacks at home and on the go to stay energized and focused. Instructors will demonstrate and discuss a variety of sweet and savory snacks that can be enjoyed without guilt.

Registration is required for this free program – call 301-474-0522, ext. 205 or email [membership@greenbelt.coop](mailto:membership@greenbelt.coop) by June 6 to reserve a place.

Shop Healthy is Co-op's quarterly program to educate store patrons about the benefits of whole foods and healthy living. Certified Nutritional Consultant and Health Coach Kim Rush Lynch and Whole Foods Chef and Produce Manager Ellen Siegel have designed health and food education programs to assist shoppers in creating healthier meal plans and lifestyles, while learning what natural and organic foods are available at Co-op.

## CEREMONY continued from page 1

Wreaths were laid on the Memorial by Rosa Dietrich, representing the Auxiliary; two Boy Scouts who represented the Sons of the American Legion; Bob Sommers for American Legion Post 136; and Councilmembers Rodney Roberts and Edward Putens, representing the city, as "Stand Up, America" was played. A gun salute followed, and the haunting melody of "Taps" concluded the ceremony.



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## ARTFUL

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at the Greenbelt Museum's historic house (10-B Crescent Road) featuring free tours with special hands-on items on display in each room. The Museum's current exhibition on view at the Community Center is "Green from the Start: A History of Gardening in Greenbelt."

Artful Afternoon also includes a studio open house and sale with the Community Center's nine artists-in-residence from 1 to 4 p.m. Works are in many styles and media and unique gifts for dads and grads are available for purchase.

For more information about City of Greenbelt art programs, visit [www.greenbeltd.gov/arts](http://www.greenbeltd.gov/arts) or call 240-542-2057.

## College Park Holds Senior Safety Summit

A free Senior Health and Safety Summit will be held on Tuesday, June 7 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the College Park Community Center, 5051 Pierce Avenue in College Park.

Vendors and representatives from more than 20 businesses and public service organizations will be there to discuss health and safety issues that affect the lives of seniors.

For more information call 301-441-2647; TTY 301-445-4512.

## Laurel Museum Holds Kids' Program Sunday

On Sunday, June 12 from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. the Laurel Museum is holding a special Kids' Sunday program with a Laurel Park Fair theme at the museum, 817 Main Street.

The family-friendly event will feature nostalgic fair games like a bean bag throw, water balloon toss and fishing. There will be snow cones and a pie-eating contest for those with robust appetites. In case of rain or excessive heat, the program will move inside. The Kids' Sunday series is part of the museum's historical racing exhibit "And They're Off! 100 Years of Laurel Park."

There is a nominal admission.

## NARFE Holds June Luncheon Meeting

The National Active and Retired Federal Employees (NARFE) Chapter 1122 for Prince George's County will hold its annual luncheon meeting at noon on Wednesday, June 8 at the Teppanyaki Grill & Buffet, 9345 Annapolis Road in Lanham.

For information on prices call Warren Wilcox at 301-345-7437.



## COLLEGE PARK FARMERS' MARKET

5211 Paint Branch Parkway  
(Wells Linson Ice Rink)

**Saturdays: 7 a.m. until Noon**  
April 30 through November 19

Fresh Herbs, Flowers, Vegetable Plants, Cut Flowers, Sweet Onions, Green Onions, Yellow and Green Squash, String Beans, Cabbage, Blueberries, Honey, Homemade Baked Goods, Homemade Crafts and much, much more.

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*For more information contact Phil Miller 301-399-5485*

# Greenbelt CO-OP

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Golden Ripe Bananas	<b>49¢</b> lb.	Fresh Cut & Peeled Small Carrots 1 lb. bag	<b>99¢</b>	Red Ripe Whole Seedless Watermelons each	<b>\$3.99</b>
Fresh Express Garden Salad 12 oz. bag	<b>\$1.50</b>	Vitamin Rich Plump Blueberries pint	<b>\$2.99</b>	Fresh Crisp Romaine Hearts 3 pk.	<b>\$2.99</b>
California Sweet Ripe Cherries	<b>\$3.99</b> lb.	Jumbo Vidalia Onions	<b>69¢</b> lb.	Fresh Crop Zesty Lemons each	<b>50¢</b>

Fresh Value Pack Split Chicken Breasts	<b>99¢</b> lb.	Fresh Value Pack Boneless Sirloin Steaks	<b>\$3.99</b> lb.	Fresh Value Pack Boneless Country Style Spare Ribs	<b>\$2.99</b> lb.
Fresh Value Pack Boneless Center Cut Pork Chops	<b>\$3.79</b> lb.	Fresh 93% Super Lean Ground Beef	<b>\$3.49</b> lb.	Prima Familia Italian Meatballs 9.6 oz.	<b>BUY ONE GET ONE FREE</b>
Hatfield Sliced Bacon 1 lb.	<b>\$3.99</b>				

Dairy	Deli	Frozen
Cabot Chunk Ceese Assorted 8 oz.	Shurfine Pure Butter Quarters 16 oz.	Turkey Hill Ice Cream Assorted 48 oz.
Shurfine Cream Cheese 8 oz.	Florida's Natural Orange Juice Assorted 59 oz.	Banquet Assorted Entrees Select Varieties 5-10 oz.
Kotex Assorted Pads, Liners or Tampons 14-64 pk.	Kunzler Cooked Ham	<b>\$2.50</b>
Colgate or Bonus Size Tooth Paste Luminous/Mint Zing/ Baking Soda 4 oz.	Shurfine Liverwurst	<b>\$1.00</b>
Sea Best Bay Scallops	Deli Gourmet Mini Colby Longhorn Cheese	Stouffer's Lean Cuisine Classic Entrees Assorted 5-11 oz.
Health & Beauty	Seafood	Natural & Gourmet
Fresh Catch Tilapia Fillets		Hero Original Gourmet Preserves Assorted 12 oz.
<b>\$2.00</b>	<b>\$2.69</b>	<b>\$2.99</b>
<b>\$1.25</b>	<b>\$3.00</b>	Celeste Pizza for One Assorted 5-6 oz.
<b>99¢</b>	<b>\$6.99</b>	<b>\$3.59</b>
Bakery		Fresh Store Baked Rye Bread loaf
		Fresh Store Baked Kaiser Rolls White/Wheat 6 pk.

Hunt's Pasta Sauce Assorted 26 oz.	San Giorgio Spaghetti or Macaroni Assorted 16 oz.	Grocery Bargains	Thomas' English Muffins Select Varieties 6 pk.	Ocean Spray Cranberry Juice Cocktails Assorted 46 oz.
<b>\$1.00</b>	<b>\$1.00</b>	Chicken of the Sea Solid White Tuna 5 oz.	<b>BUY ONE GET ONE FREE</b>	<b>BUY ONE GET ONE FREE</b>
Campbell's Chunky Soups Assorted 18-19 oz.	Kellogg's Mini Wheats Cereals Assorted 15-18 oz.	Tide Liquid Laundry Detergent Assorted 50 oz.	Rice-A-Roni or Pasta Roni Assorted 4-7 oz.	Shurfine Ketchup Assorted 20-24 oz.
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# Police Blotter

Based on information released by the Greenbelt Police Department, <http://www.greenbeltdmd.gov/police/index.htm>, link in left frame to "Weekly Report" or [http://www.greenbeltdmd.gov/police/weekly\\_report.pdf](http://www.greenbeltdmd.gov/police/weekly_report.pdf). Dates and times are those when police were first contacted about incidents.

## Robberies

May 20, 9:49 a.m., 8300 block Canning Terrace, a man was approached by two youths, who assaulted him and took his property. The youths were apprehended by police in the area. A resident juvenile and a non-resident juvenile were both petitioned for strong arm robbery and second-degree assault. They were released to their guardians pending action by the Department of Juvenile Services.

May 21, 11:11 p.m., Roosevelt Center, a man was approached by two young men, who assaulted him and took his property. The suspects are described as two black males, 15 to 18 years old.

## Drug Arrest

May 21, 6:06 p.m., a resident man was arrested, charged with possession of drug paraphernalia and released on citation pending trial.

## Disorderly Conduct

May 20, 3:45 p.m., Beltway Plaza, a man and a woman, both nonresidents, were arrested and charged with disorderly conduct. Both were released on citation pending trial.

## Vandalism

May 22, 12:45 p.m., 6900 block Hanover Parkway. A window was reported broken.

May 24, 6:54 a.m., Roosevelt Center, graffiti was found on a building.

## Burglaries

May 20, 9:12 a.m., 7200 block Hanover Parkway, it was reported that currency was taken.

May 23, 11:26 p.m., 5800 block Cherrywood Lane, electronics were reported taken.

May 24, 1:53 p.m., 5800 block Cherrywood Lane, electronics were reported taken.

May 24, 5:46 p.m., 6100 block Breezewood Court, it was reported that jewelry was taken.

May 25, 5:07 p.m., 9100 block Edmonston Court, nothing was taken.

The Department is offering a reward of up to \$1,000 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of a suspect in any of the unsolved crimes reported in the blotter. Call 1-866-411-TIPS. People may anonymously report suspected drug activity by calling the Drug Tip Line at 240-542-2145.

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# Cub Scout Pack Camps at Smallwood

by Ben Clarke

Twenty-four Cub Scouts and parents of Cub Scout Pack 202 spent the rain deluged weekend of May 13-15 camping at Smallwood State Park in Marbury, Md. Scouts and parents enjoyed quality time together free from the distractions of telephones, computers, electronic games and household chores.

Scouts were given a quick briefing on the identification of the poison ivy found in the vicinity of the campsite. The Cubs then learned to erect tents and other temporary protective tarp structures and spent the night in tents and sleeping bags.

Arrow of Light Den Leader Mike Brown organized the first of several pack camping trips planned this year. Webelos Den Leader Pat Mulvey provided equipment and instruction for the Scout fishing expedition along the Potomac River adjacent to the park.

Mulvey also provided the equipment and instruction for the creation of three legged stools using fallen branches found within the campsite wooded areas. The Cub Scouts worked as a group gathering wood for the pack campfire. Older Scouts who had earned the BSA "Totin' Chip" certification were given instruction on the safe use of a hand saw for cutting firewood.

Group meals were prepared on Saturday for breakfast, lunch and dinner. Every camping participant was asked to bring a mess-kit in lieu of disposable dinnerware and utensils to reduce both the expense and trash generated during the weekend. Scouts were instructed on the proper washing and care of their mess-kits.

The scouts also had time to explore the large wooded areas. The highlight of the expedition was undoubtedly the campfire program where scouts performed skits and song before cooking S'mores over the open fire.

While the skies remained mostly dry during daylight hours, Mother Nature was less forgiving during the overnight hours putting each of the temporary protective structures to the test.

The final event of the weekend, Bear Den Leader Mike Marshall organized the "Leave No Trace" last scout sweep of the campsite to ensure that all debris, wrappers and trash were properly disposed of.

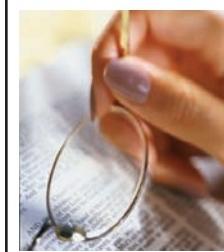
Greenbelt's Cub Scout Pack 202 has been continuously chartered for 66 years, one of the oldest Cub Packs within the region.

*Ben Clarke is cub master of Pack 202.*



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**Gregory Marshall, Alex Edwards, Alexander Marshall, Nicholas Mulvey, Matthew Dickerson, Alexandra Clarke and David Torruellas hiking back to camp after fishing.**



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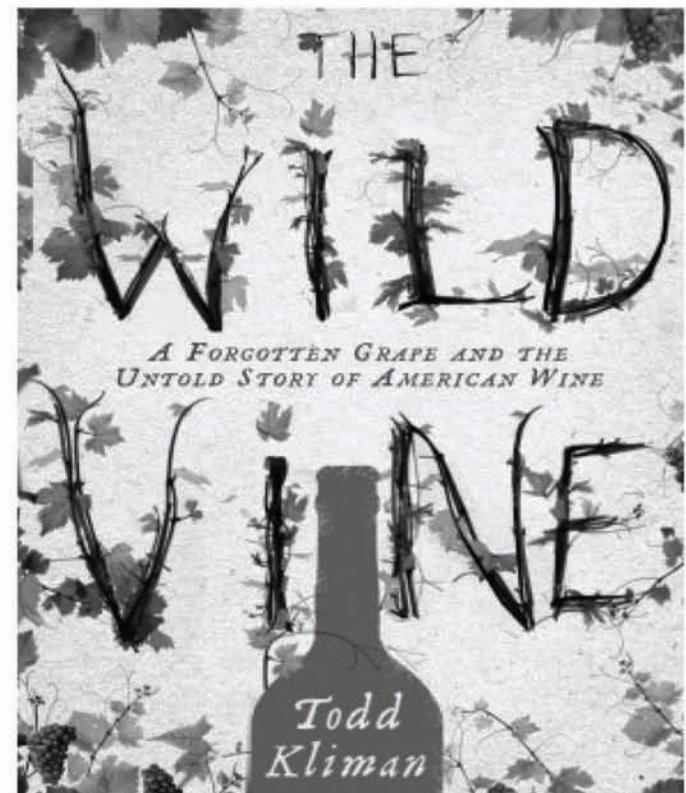
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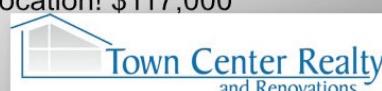
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On Thursday, June 2 from noon to 2 p.m. pianist Amy C. Kraft plays mid-day melodies. From 7 to 9 p.m. is the weekly Open Microphone Night for music, prose, poetry, comedy and storytelling. The Spanish Conversation Group meets from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m.

On Friday, June 3 from 6:30 to 8 p.m. is Jazz and Blues Café Night with pianist John Guernsey. Gael in the Harbor plays Celtic and American folk tunes with a unique twist from 8 to 11 p.m.

Saturday, June 4 from 4 to 6 p.m. features music by classical guitarist Bruce Kritt, followed by a full slate of entertainment starting with the TV John Variety Show, with guest songwriters Wandaliz Color (pop/rock/funk) and Mary Lankford (funk/rock/alternative R&B). The Not2Cool Jazz Trio performs outdoors in Roosevelt Center from 4 to 7 p.m. From 8 to 11 p.m. Café favorite multi-instrumentalists Djesben will play jazz standards, bebop, bossa nova and original tunes influenced by music from around the world.

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Tuesday, June 7 is Americana Music Night with Don Walters with special guest Kevin Dudley from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday, June 8 Waterfront, a British acoustic folk group, will play

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## June Is Peace Month, Its Theme Is Mend the World

by Lucy Duff

Again this year the City of Greenbelt has declared June its official Peace Month. Several local groups are sponsoring events to point out social problems, promote solutions or celebrate the spirit and work that advance a more peaceful, just and diverse society.

Through most of June one of these observances – a free exhibition of paper quilt books called Quilt: Art to Mend the World – will pull together these interrelated themes.

Rendered in a patchwork-like mosaic via language and graphic arts, Quilt will be on display from Friday, June 3 through Sunday, June 5 at the Greenbelt Community Center.

Making one's own paper quilt page will be the focus of a hands-on activity during Artful Afternoon on Sunday, June 5. After that weekend some parts of Quilt will be hosted by the Greenbelt library and the Community Church during their regular hours with guides to interpret the exhibit during some time periods.

The creator of Quilt, artist and educator Kate Ransohoff, whose website is [www.krqUILT.com](http://www.krqUILT.com), summarizes her work in these words: "Each quilt panel focuses on a single topic of conflict, injustice or inequality and honors all cultures, world experiences and differing perspectives. It supports human rights, women's empowerment and healthy economics. Quilt invites public participation, conversation and communication."

The exhibit consists of hanging panels accompanied by booklets of prose and poetry. Each set can stand alone in expressing an individual theme: "Voices from the Common" to honor those unrecognized by the world; "A Letter to Women" to elicit their unrealized power; "A Letter to Artists" to join folk, fine and craft arts; "Money: Contradictions and Conundrums" to share diverse attitudes toward money; "About the World" to shift perspectives toward disparate cultures; "Sign of the Ribbons" to end violence against women

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Workshops led by patient advocates and clinical social workers will include tips and practical problem-solving techniques, as well as time for questions and discussion. Upcoming sessions include: Nutrition and Cancer – Patients and Caregivers Need to Stay Healthy, Tuesday, June 14 from 1 to 2:15 p.m.; and Coping with Caregiving – Navigating the Medical System and Helping Caregivers Be Advocates, Tuesday, August 9 from 1 to 2:15 p.m.

To register for workshops call the ACS at 800-966-3586 or visit [cancer.org/sacaregiverworkshops](http://cancer.org/sacaregiverworkshops).

and build friendship networks; "Pearls" to show the beauty, strength and courage of violated women; "Haves and Have Nots" to reveal how the rich deny and ignore the poor.

The Greenbelt exhibit is coordinated by Karen Rowe, Quilt's community relations and program director for this region, and the Prince George's County Peace and Justice Coalition. Quilt can be seen at the Community Center Friday from 6 to 10 p.m., Saturday, June 4 from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. and Sunday from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. On Sunday Rowe will lead guided tours from 1 to 4 p.m.

#### Other Activities

Sunday, June 5 from 1 to 3 p.m. there will be a paper quilt making art activity for Artful Afternoon.

Selected Quilt panels will be displayed at the Greenbelt library lower level from June 7 through 30 during regular library hours. The library exhibit will have guides present to interpret Quilt from 7 to 9 p.m. on Mondays and Tuesdays and 2 to 4 p.m. Saturdays from June 13 to 27.

June 7 through 30 selected Quilt panels will be shown at the Greenbelt Community Church, 1 Hillside Rd. from 10 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Sundays, 9 a.m. to noon Tuesday through Friday and at other times by appointment (call the church office at 301-474-6171 to arrange). There will be a presentation at the church by Rowe at 7 p.m. on Sunday, June 12.

On Tuesday, June 14 from 7 to 9 p.m. an open microphone session for readings of "Poetry and Prose for Peace" will be held at the New Deal Café. Sponsored by P&J and the Greenbelt Writers Group, participants can read or hear W. H. Auden's wrenching "The Shield of Achilles," or perhaps Wislawa Szymborska's "The End and the Beginning."

For more information about Quilt, email Rowe at [ksrowe@mindspring.com](mailto:ksrowe@mindspring.com). For updates on the Peace Month, email [justpeacepg@earthlink.net](mailto:justpeacepg@earthlink.net).

*Lucy Duff is a member of the Peace and Justice Coalition.*

### Ingrid Turner Hosts Lunch for Seniors

Prince George's County Council Chair Ingrid Turner (D) – District 4, will host a luncheon for seniors at the Greenbelt Community Center Multipurpose Room on Friday, June 10 at 11 a.m.

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